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Ernest Johnson, Director **Utilities Division Arizona Corporation Commission** 1200 W. Washington Phoenix, AZ 85007

> Re: Report Regarding Layoff of AT&T Employees in Arizona Pursuant to Decision No. 68865; Docket Nos. T-02428A-06-0203, T-03016A-06-0203, T-03116A-06-0203, T-03287A-06-0203 and T-03346A-06-0203

Dear Mr. Johnson:

On behalf of AT&T Inc. ("AT&T"), the purpose of this report is to provide further information regarding the layoff of AT&T employees located in Arizona who were given notice of a surplus condition and for which AT&T provided the Commission notice on May 12, 2008. No facility closure was involved. This report is provided pursuant to the first ordering paragraph at page 10 of Decision No. 68865.

The layoffs were necessary to improve efficiencies and reduce business expenses. The force reduction involved six (6) non-management employees in the Bill Print Processing organization. All employees were able to follow their work to a new work location, but did not elect to do so, and thus received a severance package. If you have any questions regarding this report, please feel free to contact me at (512) 870-2280. Also, you can contact our local counsel, Mike Grant with Gallagher & Kennedy, P.A., at (602) 530-8291.

Very truly yours,

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